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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos. Twelve only

Part B for May - 1944

SUBJECT

Panic evacuation arrangements
for Madras Government.

K. Krishnan.
14.7.44.

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(5) Draft again sent.

(b) L 19/10

Issued Nos. 1845-6/w of 15. x. 42 to the J. G. P. 2
& the D. C. Kolar.

(7) Resolved with respect to laws
ministry under review.

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From 19/10/42 The 19 of Police.

Fic. 226/4442 of 19 Nov 42 for a
report re. Evacuation Camp at Palamuru
Taluk.

10 Subd for found and order
with refer to Law Minister's order.

The Dist. Officer has not been advised
the rule also has been issued

(11) L 20/10

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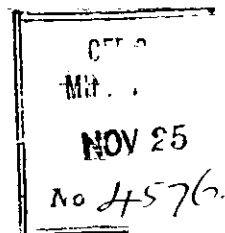
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13) Yes please telephone also

From 24/10/42 26 Nov 42 25/11 is a Mr. L. 26/11

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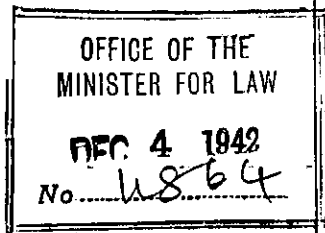
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The Dept of Home Affairs.

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D.O. No F 17/1942 & 29 Nov. 42. This copy of Mr. Smith's letter

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14) The Secretary may be informed that, as already agreed, the Government staff may occupy Crescent House. As regards refugees who might filter through from Benares, it is assumed that their number is unlikely to be large and that no arrangements for refugee camps need be made in advance along the route in the Khyber State.

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From

The D. C. Khar.

5 J.L.C. 199/4240 & 1st Dec. 42. This is regarding the matter.

15) The Khar D.C. reply since received is subd for perusal. A draft reply to the Khar is subd for consideration with ref to Devani's minute before.

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16) The Law Minister may also perhaps peruse the Devani's order

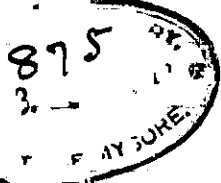
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17) For perusal by the Minister

18) For perusal by the Minister

19) Done

6 This is the 1180 7th Dec. 42 to the Khar.



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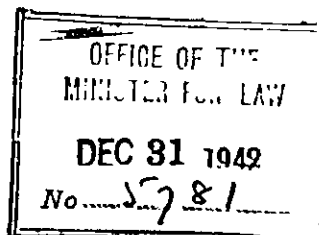
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From Secy to Govt. The Resident
no 717/42 of his letter
states that it is expected
that Mysore Govt. will
provide for refugees
if they reach Mysore
any expenditures on this
account being refunded
by Madras Govt.

20) Secy. for Govt. -
orders are reply to be
given to Secy.

21) Secy may send
27/12/42 to the D.C. Koda to know
he may have ready some scheme
of arrangements. It will be difficult
to assess now the number of
refugees who may filter into
Mysore

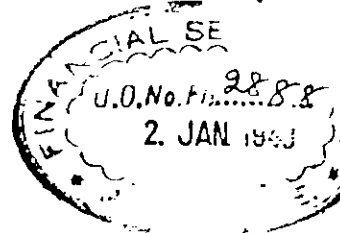
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Law 17) (22) 29/12
Secy (23) 30/12

(24) The Secy may also see
these papers.

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Subd with a draft to the D C Kdhar
with reference to orders supra, with Memo to the Secy

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Issued 2961/w 8 6th Jan. 43 to the D C Kdhar
2962/w Memo. L & P

28) The D C Kdhar has been requested to have some
scheme of arrangements ready for an emergency
Subd for orders whether as reply to the
Regy is necessary in reply to their letter

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No need for a reply is indicated
in the Residency letter.

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Thiruvananthapuram

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The D C Kdhar.
11C. 199/42 to 6 (3rd Jan. 43) regarding details
as to the Camp that has to be opened in Mysore
localities

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The D C Kdhar has been requested to keep and
have some scheme of arrangements ready for an emergency.
With reference to para 2 of the D C's letter of approval

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Minister for L. & C.

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Para 4 of Mr. D. N. S. M. S. letter will be sent to him for information. The no. of Britisher refugees entering Mysore is unlikely to be large and no arrangements are to be made in advance along the route in the Mysore State. These assumptions have been confirmed by the Madras Govt.

Ardo for perusal and order.

(RS) (51) 33) Venkateswara Rao is to be the last camp. This may be confirmed. It is also for order if a note on the arrangements made or under contemplation in Madras may be obtained through the Residency.
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34) Though the situation is more favourable it is necessary to have a scheme ready. If Belkian agents, is too near the Bombay Evacuation Camp, Baring for may be kept of & any purpose may be intended.
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35) In the event of ~~an~~ emergency contemplated, the rail stations

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near Belknapgala would imp. app. have moved forward for attack or defence, in all probability. The D.C. may need arrange for camp being provided, when necessity arises, ~~for~~ the arrangements being sent to others keep in reserve for our own population

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36. Subd in a draft up to a D.C. Koler

37. 16/1

10. Issues 316 QW to 19 Jan. 43 to a D.C. Koler.

11. From The D.C. Koler

11. 1942 & 25 Jan. 43. Subd. Ad. to be proposed. Reserving Gattahalli temple premises for camping of evacuees in an emergency.

The D.C. Koler was requested to be from Achen ready for panic evacuees (passive refugees) who may reach Mysore Sh. for Vskobagiri Kola, in an emergency. Arrangements being similar to those of our population. Subd. for present.

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Arrangements for Refugees passing thro India State Territory

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OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION
Date 1.2.43
No. 3862

12. From The Honble H H A Chancellor of the Chamber of Commerce
Circular No 3/VII-20 d 20th 9.43 for a reply
Received from the Political Dept re: arrangements for
Refugees passing thro India State Territory
and the recovery of such expenditure incurred.

A copy of the Political Dept note
was already received from the Secy and on the
above principle the Madras Govt have agreed
to refund expenditure that may be incurred
in respect of refugees entering Mysore State
thro Vankabagavathi in an emergency.
Subd for perusal

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Chief Secy

Edn Minister

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The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, - by designation and not by name.

Secret.

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No. F.17/1942.

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FROM

THE SECRETARY

TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore

Dated Bangalore, the 9th October, 1942.

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Subject:-

Evacuation schemes.

SIR,

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I am directed to say that the Madras Government are considering the question of dealing with refugees in the event of an enemy invasion. Southern Army have allotted the Sriperumbudur - Ranipet - Tiruvalam - Gudiyattam road for refugee traffic. After Gudiyattam the route suggested was to Palmaner and camp sites were selected at Madikuppam and Palmaner. While the military authorities have no objection to these sites, they are desirous of having the main stream of refugees directed due west from Gudiyattam, as far, possibly, as Betmangala. The Madras Government have agreed to this and have asked that the Government of Mysore may be informed accordingly.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W 290-42-1

Secretary to the Resident in Mysore.

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Nos. 1845-6/w

15th Octr. 1942.

To

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1. I.G.P.
2. D.C. Kolar.

Subject : EVACUATION SCHEMES.

I am directed to forward herewith copy of Residency letter No.F.17/1942, dated 9th Octr. 1942, on the above subject and request you to kindly furnish the Government with an early report in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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For Chief Secretary to Government.

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Tel. Address:
"POLICE"
PHONE No. 2108.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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When replying
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F.C. 226/41-42

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, November 19, 1942.

FROM

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

TO

The Chief Secretary to the Govt. of His Highness
The Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

SIR,

Re. EVACUATION SCHEME

With reference to your letter No. 1945-6/W dated 15-10-42, I have the honour to state that on enquiries it is ascertained that a few days ago, the Government of Madras selected a place adjacent to the Police Station at Venkatagirikota (Palmanir taluk, Chittoor Dist.) where there is a big well and shade for the refugees camp. From Madras to Venkatagirikota seven refugee camps are said to have been selected, the seventh being Venkatagirikota.

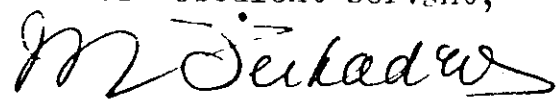
In the selection of a site, the Government of Madras are said to have laid emphasis on the following points:-

1. Preferably a tope with sufficient supply of water;
2. The location must be within a mile of a sufficiently big village where housing accommodation may be available for storage purposes;
3. Availability of sufficient quantity of petrol and charcoal for motor vehicles which accompany the refugees;
4. The well must be equipped with water lifting and storage arrangements - the kitchen being invariably located near the well - water for washing purposes being located at a distance from the camp;
5. Drainage arrangements;
6. A temporary hospital;
7. Isolation shed;
8. Trench latrines and urinals for the camp with provision of scavengers;
9. Supervision ~~at~~ by the Medical and Health Depts.; &
10. Stocking of food-stuffs - such as Rice, gram, dhol, tamarind, chillies, beans, vegetables, salt etc. and cooking utensils.

It is also ascertained that the camps arranged in Madras Presidency are located at an average distance of 15 miles apart. Necessary instructions are also said to have been issued to the Revenue authorities to prepare for an emergency at 8 days' notice.

So far as Bethamangala is concerned, there is an abundant supply of water and any suitable place near it, will be about 12 miles from Venkatagirikota. The only disadvantage in the selection of such a site is the proximity of the labour population in Kolar Gold Field and the possible scarcity of food stuffs in that area.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,


INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE
MYSORE.

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REMINDER"

~~W 290-13-1~~

W 1845-6/W

26th Nov. 1942.

The Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

EVACUATION SCHEME.

I am directed to invite
kind reference to this office letter
No. 1845-6/W, dated the 15th Octr. 1942
on the above subject and to request
that the report may kindly be ex-
pedited *as per the above*

urgently to the Director.
I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

AS

MOST SECRET.

D.O.No.F.17/1942.



Bangalore,

9 November 1942.

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EVACUATION ARRANGEMENTS.

My dear Mehkri,

I am desired to refer to my secret letter No.F.17/1942, dated the 9th October 1942, and to enclose copies of two letters dated the 19th October and 18th November 1942 from Mr.D.H.Strathie regarding evacuation arrangements from Madras.

2. As regards essential services, it is proposed to place the St.Joseph's College and Indian High School at the disposal of the Madras Government for their Secretariat and the Reserve Bank; and the Government of Mysore have kindly agreed to accommodate His Excellency and staff in Crescent House.

3. As regards pedestrian refugees entering Mysore State via Venkatagirikotta, the Hon'ble the Resident hopes that the Government of Mysore will do what they can to accommodate them.

*Letter for 1st personal.
Review proposed has been called
for for the 1st and the 2nd
on the way.*

Yours sincerely,

*Letter of 4/11/42 Mr. Menkri
has been telephoned to the Resident
and the 1st and the 2nd
on the way.*

Mothamed-ul-Mulk Mr. M.G. Menkri, B.A., LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
B a n g a l o r e.

Telephone message sent. Letter not yet

Dear

Yours

Copy of letter from Mr.D.N.Strathie, Civil Liaison Officer with the Government of Madras, Advance Headquarters, Southern Army, Bangalore, Ho.C.1-4, dated the 19th October 1942.

Refugees.

When I saw you the other day, you mentioned that Gawne had written to you giving some information about refugees. I have since seen his letter, his D.O.No. 1136 dated 29-9-42. It is somewhat brief and it seems to me that you should be more fully "in the picture"- as they say in Military circles.

2. The Madras Government have finally adopted the policy of "Stay put". This has been set out - with a hint of the evacuation plans - in an article which appeared in the Hindu of 7th October.

3. Though "Stay put" is the accepted policy, it is recognised that many people may panic and it has been considered necessary to make plans for such panic evacuation.

4. The detailed plans, so far as they may affect Mysore, are --

A. Panic Evacuees.

(a) Only one road - the Great Western^{Trunk} road is to be kept clear for Military traffic and open for evacuees from Madras. It is to be confined to motor cars, cyclists and pedestrians. Refugees are to be allowed along it as far as Ranipet. There they are to leave the two main roads to Bangalore free for the Military and are to be diverted to Gudiyatam. From there motor cars are to be allowed to go to Palmaner, thence across the main road to Punganur and Madanapalle. The present proposal is that from Madanapalle car refugees would be left free either to go up to Anantapur or west into Mysore territory. Pedestrians are to continue west to Venkata-girikota. Camps are being arranged for them roughly every 20 miles - Dispersal into

villages

villages en route is to be encouraged - but some refugees might eventually reach Mysore territory.

(b) Evacuation roads have also been prescribed for other towns, e.g. from Coimbatore towards Satyamangalam, from Cuddalore and Pondicherry to Tiruvannamalai. All such refugees might in time reach Mysore territory. From Coleroon southwards all refugee traffic is to be diverted to the South.

B. Controlled evacuation.

If the Military finally decide that it will be necessary to abandon Madras, arrangements have been made for evacuation of certain personnel considered essential. Four, and only four passenger trains will be run, accommodating about 4000 including families. Some of these - Bank staff etc. - would be going to Bombay, but more than half will be directed to Bangalore, others will come in cars. At the same time, the Denial Policy will be put into force. Under it motor car owners will either have to take their cars away from Madras and the coast or immobilize them. It is expected that a certain number of private individuals will then join in the flight.

5. It will be seen then that Mysore will be expected to provide for -

(a) Government - I believe the Resident has already agreed to put the two schools at the disposal of the Secretariat;

(b) some essential personnel;

(c) Panic evacuees. These may begin to arrive by car say 2 days after the bombing or bombardment and may gradually increase in numbers the first pedestrians arriving 10 days after the attack.

6. I have recently been more or less put in charge of all the evacuation arrangements for Madras Presidency and it seems to me that it is high time that the Resident were consulted. May I take it that Mysore will do what is possible to accommodate

(a)

- (a) the people whom we cannot persuade to "stay put" ||
if there is an attack;
(b) the essential staff coming to Bangalore with
H.E. if Madras has to be abandoned

and would the Resident wish me to see the Bangalore
Refugee Committee, which I believe still exists,
or do anything else in the matter?

most secret

Copy of letter from Mr.D.N.Strathie, Civil
Liaison Officer with the Government of Madras, Advance
Headquarters, Southern Army, Bangalore, No.C.1-4, dated the
18th November 1942.

Refugees - My d.o. to you of 19th October
and my subsequent discussion with the Hon'ble
the Resident.

Madras Government have now agreed to the proposals
I put to them at the Resident's request, viz., that arrange-
ments should be made at Madanapalle to split up the
refugee traffic, directing 'essential' Government officers
to Bangalore, other 'priorities' to Secunderabad and the
remainder i.e., well-to-do Indians not coming under the
Sanctuary class, to Cuddapah or Anantapur. The result is
that Mysore will be asked to accommodate only

- (a) Government "Essentials", and
|| (b) the pedestrian refugees who will enter Mysore
territory via Venkatagirikota. There will be 10
days notice in the case of this class.



W 290-42-5.
GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Telegraphic
Address

1711 W
OFFICE OF

The Deputy Commissioner,

No. J.1.C.199/42-43.

Polar District,

Encls

Date 1st December 1942.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government

of Mysore, Bangalore.

Panic Evacuation Scheme.

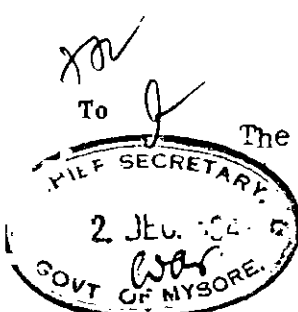
Sir,

With reference to your letter No.1845-6/W dated 15th October 1942 on the above subject, I have the honour to state that there appears to be no objection to the proposal of the Madras Government with regard to the Refugee traffic being permitted in the adjoining Districts of the Madras Presidency up to Bethamangala. The strip of land lying between the border of Madras Presidency and Bethamangala is about 10 miles in width.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Ramachandra
Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

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SUBJECT.....
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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

Section *War*
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Serial No. *6*

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D.O. No. *P/1188*

General and Revenue Secretariat

To *The Secy to the Honble the Resident*

(*the* *19* *My Dear Sir,* *Evacuation Arrangements*
(Dated) I am directed to

Date of issue..... *7. 12. 1942*

acknowledged the receipt of your

Signed by..... *Mr. M. S. M.*

D.O. No. F 12/1242 & 29 Nov. 42

on the above subject as to state that it is the Governor of Madras and Staff may occupy Crescent House in an emergency, as already agreed to.

List of enclosures.....

As regards pedestrian refugees entering upon Madras via Venkateswara Temple it is

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assumed that their number is

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unlikely to be large and that no
arrangements for refugee camps
need be made in advance along a
route in the Myson State.

Yours sincerely.

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No.F.17/1942

Bangalore, 28th
December 1942.

Evacuation arrangements.

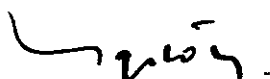
My dear Mehkri,

I am desired to refer to your most secret demi-official letter No. Pol.1188, dated the 7th December 1942.

2. The Madras Government state that the assumption of the Mysore Government that the number of refugees is unlikely to be large is correct. It is hoped that the bulk of the population will be persuaded to "stay put", dispersal en route will also be encouraged. The assumption that no arrangements need be made in advance is also correct. The Madras Government state that it will take about 10 days' time for pedestrian refugees from Madras to reach Venkatagirikotta. The Mysore Government will, however, be expected to provide for the refugees if they do reach Mysore territory in accordance with the decision communicated by the Political Department in their demi-official letter to the Pro-Chancellor of the Chamber of

Princes No.F.73(4)-W/42 dated the 3rd October 1942 (copy enclosed). The Madras Government would refund to the Mysore Government the expenditure incurred. The Madras Government do not consider it necessary to incur any expenditure at the present time.

Yours sincerely,



Mothamea-ul-mulk G.M. Melkri Esq., BA.,
LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of
Mysore, Banalore.

The 3rd October 1942.

Arrangements for refugees passing
through Indian State territory.

My dear Pro-Chancellor,

With reference to item C(viii) of the memorandum forwarded with your Secretary's letter No.1014, dated 9th July 1942, to Thompson, I write to inform Your Highness that the Government of India fully agree that there should be the closest possible cooperation between States and the Government of India and Provincial Governments in respect of the control of arrangements for refugees from British India passing through State territories. All States were, in fact, invited some months ago by the Civil Defence Department, through Residents, to collaborate with the neighbouring Provinces in this matter, and it appears from the replies received that in many cases joint plans have been, or are being made by Provinces and States to meet an emergency.

Regarding the suggestion that the Government of India should be responsible for the feeding and general supervision of large parties of refugees passing through Indian States, it is considered that arrangements of this kind would only be effective in practice if they were put into force by the authority responsible for the territory concerned, the Provincial Government in the case of refugees in British India and the State Government in that of refugees passing through a State. If, therefore, there is reason to anticipate that refugees from a Province will enter a State on the occasion of an emergency, and vice versa, joint plans for their reception should be made beforehand by the Governments of the State and the Province, the arrangements in the State being on the same lines as those which would be made in similar circumstances in British India. Expenditure incurred by a State in pursuance of arrangements so made with a Provincial Government would be recoverable from that Government and in the same way a State would be liable to refund to the Provincial Government expenditure incurred by that Government on refugees from the State.

Yours sincerely,

Sd. K. S. Fitze.

To

General His Highness Maharajadhiraj Raj Rajeshwar
Shiromani Maharaja Shri Sir Ganga Singhji Bahadur,
G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., G.C.V.O., G.B.E., K.C.B., LL.D.,
A.D.C.,
Maharaja of Bikaner,
Pro-Chancellor of the Chamber of Princes.

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SUBJECT.....

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue.....

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Signed by.....

Mr. S-K-U.

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Secret

No. 2961/W (Enclosure) dated 6-1-43

To

The D M Kder

Sir,

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With refer to your

letter no 91C. 199/42 to 21st Dec. 42

on the above subject, I am

directed to enclose for information

a copy of Reg. letter no

F. 17/1942 & 28th Dec. 42with its enclosure ^{as requested} and to

request you to have some

scheme of arrangements ready

for an emergency.

Memo No 2962/W (Enclosure) I have ch
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information with cpy of Reg letter &
enclosure.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

SECRET.

General and Revenue Secretariat.

No. 2961/W (Exclaw)

Dated Bangalore, 6th January 1943.

FROM

*The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.*

TO

The District Magistrate,

Kolar District, KOLAR.

Sir,

Panic Evacuation Scheme, Madras Government.

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No. J.I.C. 199/42-43 dated 1st December 1942 on the above subject, I am directed to enclose for information a copy of Residency letter No. F.17/1942 dated 28th December 1942 with its enclosure and to request you to have some scheme of arrangements ready for an emergency.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd. G.M. Mehkri

Chief Secretary to Government.

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(P.T.O.)

Memo No. 2962/w (Enclosure) Dated, Bangalore the 6th Jan. 194

Copy of the foregoing is forwarded with compliments to the Inspector General of Police in Mysore for information with copy of Residency letter and enclosure.

By Order,


For Chief Secretary to Govt.
Sr.

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W290-42-7.

CCX No. J.1.C. 199/42-43.
Encl.

District Magistrate,
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
KOLAR DISTRICT.

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Camp K.G.F.,
Dated Kolar, the 13th January 1943.

Secret.

To

Mothamed-ul-mulk
Gulam Mohiyuddin Mehkri, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

PANIC EVACUATION SCHEME, MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 2961/W. dated the 6th instant in respect of the Panic Evacuation Scheme of Madras Government, I have the honor to state that as already reported in my letter of even No. dated 1-12-42, Bhethamangala is only about 10 miles from the Madras border. If, as is likely they have opened a camp at Venkatagirikote, it seems unnecessary for us to open a camp within this short distance between Venkatagiri-kota and Bhethamangala. More over there being a Military Camp at Bhethamangala running up to Sundarapalya on the Venkatagiri-kota Road, it appears to be inexpedient to open any camp in the neighbourhood. The nearest place where a camp can be opened would be Bowringpet. But in the Residency letter No. F. 17/1942 dated 9-10-42 to you, the Refugees's camp is not expected to be opened beyond Bhethamangala.

I request, in the circumstances, to be kindly enlightened as to what the last camp is and on what route and in how many places we have to arrange for camps? A note on the arrangements made by Madras Government may be kindly obtained to enable me to formulate proposals on similar lines.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

[Signature]
District Magistrate, Kolar Dt.

SUBJECT.....

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Signed by..... Mr. S. K. V.

about the war in the
imminent contingency.
The military stationed
near Dahanu are well
long service and forward
for attack a defense, in all
probability. I am aware
that you may require
arrangements for a camp
being provided

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No. 3164W

To Mr. D. M. Kolar
Panic evacuation arrangements.
Means for
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With reference to correspondence
bearing with your letter No. JLC
199/42-400 13th Jan. 43 on the
above subject. I am directed
to state that a scheme may be kept
ready for making arrangements
for camp being provided, when
necessity arises, the arrangements
being similar to what we
keep in reserve for our own
population.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat,

Bangalore, Dated, 19th January 1943.

Serial
No. 3160/W

From

*The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.*

To

The District Magistrate,
Kolar.

Sir,

Panic evacuation arrangements - Madras
Government.

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No.J.1.C.199/42-43 dated 13th January 1943 on the above subject, I am directed to observe that in the emergency contemplated, the military stationed near Bethamangala would long ago have moved forward for attack or defence, in all probability. I am to add that you may merely arrange for a camp being provided when necessity arises, the arrangements being similar to what we keep in reserve for our own popula-

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tion.

I have the honour to be:
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

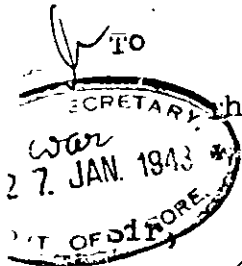
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for Chief Secretary to Government.
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No. J1.C.199/42-43.

Office of the District Magistrate,
Kolar District, Kolar
Dated the 25th January 1943.



The Chief Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

Subject:- Panic Evacuation Scheme - Madras
Government.

A with reference to correspondence ending with your letter No. 3160/W dated 19th January 1943, on the above subject, I have the honour to intimate that I have proposed to reserve Guttahalli Temple Premises, which would be good for camping of evacuees, having water conveniences and a number of choultries nearby.

Food stuffs will be transported in case of an emergency from Kolar and Kolar Gold fields.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
your most obedient servant,

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Hammond
For District Magistrate,
Kolar District.
(absent from station.)

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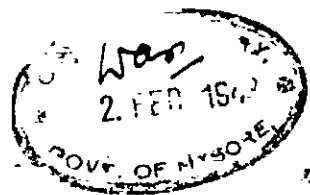
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Chamber of Princes (Narendra Mandal)

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Circular No. 3/VII-211

New Delhi
20th January 1943



Arrangements for refugees
passing through Indian State
territory.

Dear Sir,

One of the points raised on behalf of the States in the memorandum forwarded under orders of the Standing Committee of Princes to the Crown Department on the 9th July 1942 was as follows:-

It is considered necessary that the Government of India and the Governments of States concerned should work in the closest possible cooperation in respect of the control of all arrangements of refugees passing through State territory. In this connection, it is suggested that the Government of India should take responsibility for feeding and generally looking after large parties of British Indian subjects passing through the territories of States'.

2. The reply received from the Political Secretary is as follows:-

'The Government of India fully agree that there should be the closest possible cooperation between States and the Government of India and Provincial Governments in respect of the control of arrangements for refugees from British India passing through State territories. All States were, in fact, invited some months ago by the Civil Defence Department, through Residents, to collaborate with the neighbouring Provinces in this matter, and it appears from the replies received that in many cases joint plans have been, or are being, made by Provinces and States to meet an emergency.

Regarding the suggestion that the Government of India should be responsible for the feeding and general supervision of large parties of refugees passing through Indian States, it is considered that arrangements of this kind would only be effective in practice if they were put into force by the Provincial Government in the case of refugees in British India and the State Government in that of refugees passing through a State. If, therefore, there is reason to anticipate that refugees from a Province will enter a State on the occasion of an emergency and vice versa, joint plans for their reception should be made beforehand by the Governments of the State and the Province, the arrangements in the State being on the same lines as those which would be made in similar circumstances in British India. Expenditure incurred by a State in pursuance of arrangements so made with a Provincial Government would be recoverable from that Government and in the same way a State would be liable to refund to the Provincial Government expenditure incurred by that Government on refugees from the State'.

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3. Under orders of His Highness the Pro-Chancellor the latest information on the subject is circulated to the States.

Yours sincerely,

MASBOOL MAHMOOD.

Secretary to H.H the Chancellor,
Chamber of Princes.

"CS"
19.1.43

In light of the message,
to D. C. Kobayashi.

no 1845-6
very different from 15-17-18-19-20
the evacuation scheme
Please ^{see} ~~expedite~~ report
in meeting

Rev by
Inventor's Row
D C Oppie Kobayashi

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